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BUSINESS CARDS.

GEO. W. MERRICK. — ROBERT YOUNG.

MERRICK & YOUNG,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Wellsboro, Pa. Office in Cameron & Packer's block.

May 14, 1889.

H. P. ERWIN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, Wellsboro, Pa. Will attend to all business entrusted to him promptly. Office.—Nov. 10, 1891.

WILSON & CONEVERY,

JEWELERS, Corner Main and Wright's new block, Wellsboro, Pa. Fine watch and clock repairing a specialty. Jewelry store. All kinds of repairing done to order.

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F. H. ROCKWELL,

ATTORNEY AT LAW and Notary Public, Wellsboro, Pa. Collections and securing claims a specialty. Office in the new Converse block, opposite the Bank.—January 12, 1893.

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FASHIONABLE MERCHANT TAILOR, over Pagan's jewelry store. All the latest styles and patterns in Fall and Winter suitings. A perfect fit guaranteed.—October 22, 1891-yr.

RAILWAY GUIDE.

FALL BROOK RAILWAY COMPANY.

Took effect May 28, 1893.

Corning, Cowanesque & Antrim Div.

6		3	STATIONS.	1	7	9
P. M.				A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
3 00			Corning Dp	10 25	5 25	7 30

Mill Creek Division.

10		STATIONS.	1	9	7
P. M.			A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
8		WELLSBORO	11 35	6 35	7 10
8		Stokesdale	11 40	6 40	7 15
8		Skeesiac Jun	11 50	6 45	7 20
8		Marsh Creek	12 18	6 55	7 33
8		Ansonia	12 20	9 02	7 39
8		Four Mile Run	12 30	9 11	7 50
8		Tioga	12 42	9 20	8 02
7		Blackwells	12 50	9 28	8 08
7		Cedar Run	1 25	9 50	8 35
6		Waterville	1 35	10 03	8 55
6		Stony Brook	1 50	10 20	9 15
6		Roberts' Junc.	3 10	11 27	10 25
6		Williamsport	3 20	11 45	10 35
P. M.	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.	P. M.

Cowanesque Branch.

24	6	STATIONS.	1	7	22
P. M.			A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
5 00	5 40	Corning Dp	10 25	5 25	6 20
3 45	4 [illegible]	Lawrenceville	11 05	6 05	7 [illegible]
3 35	4 [illegible]	Nelson	11 [illegible]	6 [illegible]	7 [illegible]
3 22	4 12	Elkland	11 45	6 30	8 52
3 17	4 07	Osceola	11 50	6 38	9 03
3 05	3 57	Mansfield Junction	12 00	6 49	9 20
2 55	3 53	Tioga	12 05	6 53	9 35
2 51	3 [illegible]	Lamb's Creek	12 08	7 00	9 40
2 [illegible]	3 37	Knoxville	12 15	7 08	9 47
2 40	3 28	Cowanesque	12 18	7 16	9 49
2 35	3 23	Westfield	12 [illegible]	7 20	9 [illegible]
2 25	3 20	Harrison Valley	12 25	7 25	11 00
2 05	3 15	Genesee Junction	12 30	7 30	11 10
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.	A. M.

FALL BROOK BRANCH.—A train leaves Blossburg at 12.35 p. m., Somerville at 12.45 and arrives at Fall Brook at 1.35 p. m. Returning it leaves Fall Brook at 2.00 p. m., Somerville at 2.10 and arrives at Blossburg at 2.40 p. m.

Connections.—At Tioga with Tioga R. R.

At Lamb's Creek with Lamb's Creek Branch.

At Wellsboro Junction with Wellsboro Branch. Close connections to and from Elmira, Waverly and all points south, via F. & R. R. R. Sleeping Cars between Williamsport and Elmira.

W. H. WETHERBY, *Passenger Agent.*
G. R. BROWN *General Supt.*

Addison & Pennsylvania Railway.

GOING SOUTH. 5	3	1	STATIONS.	GOING NORTH. 2	4	6
P. M.				A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
2 50	5 50	10 00	Freeman's	7 55	4 20	11 35
2 35	5 35	9 45	Stiles	7 40	4 10	11 20
2 30	5 28	11 38	Kirkland	7 39	3 58	10 50
2 25	5 22	11 31	Osceola	7 25	3 53	10 37
2 15	5 14	11 19	Arnot (Lawrenceville)	7 15	3 38	10 18
2 10	5 07	11 04	Knoxville	7 10	3 25	10 10
2 07	5 00	12 00	Cowanesque	7 05	3 20	9 [illegible]
2 02	4 [illegible]	12 14	Westfield	6 55	3 14	9 45
1 [illegible]		12 [illegible]	Sabinsville		3 05	9 [illegible]
1 40		12 42	Parva		2 45	9 00
1 17		1 01	Gaines		2 24	7 [illegible]
1 00		1 16	Ar. Galeton Dp.		2 00	6 55

Additional train leaves Addison at 7.25 a. m. Kirkland 8.30, Knoxville 9.01, Westfield 9.35, Gaines 10.05, arriving at Galeton at 11.17 a. m.

FRANK M. BAKER, Supt.

The New Willcox,

WELLSBORO, PA.,

FRANK S. DUNKIF, Prop'r.

This house is located in the business part of town. It is heated by steam, lighted by gas, and is in first class order. It is near the depot, and is the most central house in town. It is located by the stage office. Good accommodations. Free bus to and from all trains. Sample room on first floor. Dec. 21, 1892.

WELLSBOROUGH

National Bank

WELLSBORO, PA.

H. J. LANDRUM, President.
E. E. BACKER, Vice President.
W. D. VAN HORN, Cashier.

DIRECTORS.

J. R. NILES, E. E. BACKER,
N. F. MARVIN, F. K. WRIGHT,
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HUGH YOUNG, H. J. LANDRUM,
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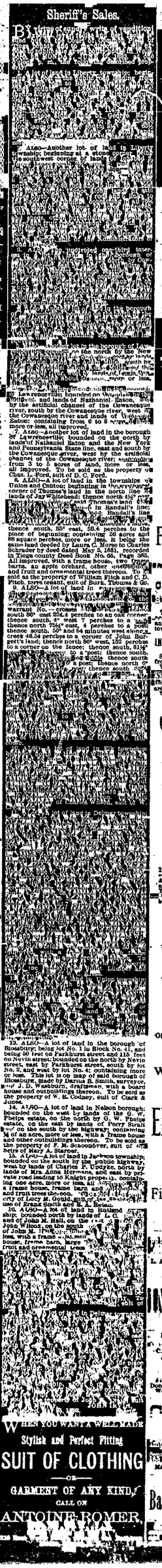
A Complete Coffee system of protection against burglars and fire. Interest paid on time deposits. Loans of the kind most desirable, usually solicited.



Sheriff's Sales.

By virtue of several writs of venditioni exponas issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Tioga County, Pennsylvania, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, in Wellsboro, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 16, 1893,

at 1 o'clock p. m. the following described real estate, viz:

1. ALSO—Another lot of land in Liberty township, beginning at a stone corner in the southwest corner of lands of [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] the boundary of Pa. State Game Commission on the north by lands of Wm. Lewis, south by lands of Frank Gee, west by lands of Frank Gee and east by lands of Wm. Lewis; containing one hundred acres more or less.

7. ALSO—Another lot of land in the borough of Lawrenceville; bounded on the north by lands of Nathaniel Eaton, and the New York and Pennsylvania State line, east and south by the Cowanesque river, west by the artificial channel of the Cowanesque river, south by the Cowanesque river, west by the Cowanesque river and lands of William Eaton; containing from 6 to 8 acres, more or less, all improved.

7. ALSO—Another lot of land in the borough of Lawrenceville; bounded on the north by lands of Nathaniel Eaton and the New York and Pennsylvania State line, east and south by the Cowanesque river, west by the artificial channel of the Cowanesque river; containing from 3 to 5 acres of land, more or less, all improved. To be sold as the property of Chas. L. Ford, suit of D. C. Ford.

8. ALSO—A lot of land in the townships of Union and Clymer; beginning in the [illegible] corner of Thomas's land in the north line of lands of Jay Whitehead; thence north 45° west [illegible] to a stone [illegible] Randall's line; thence south, 55° east, 59.4 perches to the place of beginning; containing 56 acres and 68 square perches, more or less. It being the same land deeded by Laura C. Morse to Charles Schrader by deed dated May 3, 1881, recorded in Tioga county Deed Book No. 55, Page 385. All improved, with a frame house, two frame barns, an apple orchard, other [illegible] and fruit and ornamental trees thereon. To be sold as the property of William Fitch and C. D. Fitch, terre tenant, suit of Burk, Thomas & Co.

9. ALSO—A lot of land in [illegible] township; bounded on the north by [illegible] warrant No. [illegible], east by [illegible] south 58° east 254.4 perches to an oak corner; thence south, 4° west 7 perches to a post; thence north 75¼° east, 4 perches to a post; thence south, 50° and 45 minutes west stony creek 48.34 perches to a corner of John Burgett's land; thence north 86° west, 152 perches to a corner on the fence; thence south, 81¼° west [illegible] perches to a post; thence south [illegible] perches to a post; thence north 6° [illegible] perches to a post; thence south, 58° [illegible] perches to a post; thence north [illegible] perches to a post; thence south [illegible] perches to a post; thence north [illegible] perches to a post; thence south [illegible] perches to a post; thence north [illegible] perches to a post; thence south

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THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1893.

OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The following named persons are nominated as delegates for the Democratic County Convention:

[illegible]

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMITTEE.

The members of the Democratic County Committee [illegible] are hereby notified that a meeting of said committee will be held at the Democratic Headquarters in Wellsboro, on Saturday, June 3, 1893, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of reorganizing the committee for the ensuing year, and the transaction of other business that may come before the meeting.

O. H. DAVIS, *Chairman.*

Wellsboro, May 25, 1893.

A STATEMENT prepared by Comptroller [illegible] June 1, twenty national banks with a capital of $6,180,000 have failed, [illegible] seven national banks with a capital of $655,000 for the corresponding [illegible] 1892.

THE World's Fair has now been open for two consecutive Sundays, and so far as the visitors are concerned the worst fears of the most suggestion of a resulting calamity to the Fair or to the nation. A [illegible] happy. The saloons and gambling houses of Chicago have suffered some loss in business, but if any other harm has resulted to anybody it is not apparent.

[illegible] published in the Pittsburgh [illegible] issue, shows up the palpable [illegible] of the Commissioners' claim of frugal management. It shows on the contrary improvident and reckless management. Attention is called to the article, which shows a transparent attempt to juggle with the accounts, by so stating the [illegible] as to givean apparent appearance of saving, when, in fact, as appears by the totals, quite the reverse is the case.

GREAT distress and suffering [illegible] among the people of Hope, Ark., and its vicinity. The terrible cyclone of May [illegible] has left 5,000 people homeless and in destitute circumstances. Mayor Black, of Hope, says: "The public has no idea [illegible] the storm and its results. It extended over a territory of seventy-five to ninety miles in length to twenty in breadth in many sections, destroying houses, fences and crippling many people. So far as [illegible] were killed and [illegible] twenty injured."

LAST week Governor Flower in an interview in Chicago is quoted as [illegible] "There is no reason why Cleveland should not be the nominee of the party in 1896. One presidential term has intervened [illegible] It would take another term before he had served two consecutive ones. If in 1896 Mr. Cleveland desires the nomination of his party, no man can successfully [illegible] in his way. At the present time I do not know of any aspirants for presidential honors in the party. I know of no [illegible] Democrat of New York State who [illegible] does not give the President his party support. If there is any dissatisfaction in the rank and file of Tammany I cannot place it. We are every one of us Cleveland men and shall be united in our support of him until the end of his term."

AN EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS.

President Cleveland said last Monday evening, in reply to a direct question, that he intended to call an extra session of Congress not earlier than the 1st or later than the 15th of September, unless unexpected contingencies should necessitate an earlier meeting.

The President further said: "While there has been no mystery nor secrecy in regard to my intention in this matter, I think it not amiss that our people should be informed authoritatively at the time is at hand when their representatives in Congress will be called upon to deal with a financial condition which is the only menace to the country's welfare and prosperity. It is well for the people to take up the subject for themselves and arrive at their own conclusions as to the merits of a financial policy which obliges us to purchase idle silver bullion with gold taken from our reserve. One does not need the eye of a financier to see that [illegible] government's stock is eagerly seized by other nations for the purpose of strengthening their credit at our expense

"It does not need the art of statesmanship to detect the danger that awaits upon the continuance of this operation. Already the timidity of capital is painfully apparent, and none of us can fail to see that fear and apprehension in monetary circles will ultimately bring suffering to every humble home in our land.

"I think that between now and the meeting of Congress much depends upon the action of those engaged in financial operations and business enterprises. Our vast national resources and credit are abundantly sufficient to justify them in the utmost faith and confidence. If, instead of being frightened, they are conservative, and if, instead of gloomily anticipating immediate disaster, they contribute their share of hope and [illegible] ness they will perform a patriotic duty and at the same time protect their own interest. The things just now needed are coolness and calmness in financial circles and study and reflection [illegible] our people."

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

A Republican Soldier Speaks Vigorously on the Pension Abuses.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—[illegible] Cleveland enjoyed his fishing trip immensely and returned to the hard work which still lies before him in tip top condition. He presided over a special Cabinet meeting to-day, which was called to consider ways and means for replenishing the gold reserve fund, which has been encroached on to a greater extent than ever before, in order to meet the demand for gold for export. No [illegible] apprehended for the present, and it was to discuss plans for the future that the Cabinet meeting was held.

The one question that is everywhere discussed is that of pensions, which seems to grow in importance [illegible] on the subject, [illegible] find a Republican who will [illegible] the matter; they seem to think that [illegible] is entirely [illegible] change [illegible] to the U[illegible]

[illegible] to war in 1861, when [illegible] was not in the [illegible] any of them, were Democrats, [illegible] forget that a great company [illegible] leading captains of the Union [illegible] Sherman, [illegible] McClellan, Logan, [illegible] Sickles, Slocum—an [illegible] men and their followers [illegible] of the G. A. R. are now [illegible] officers it has been commission [illegible] the remarkable proposition that Grand Army Posts shall not openly discuss and uphold pension reform. It is idle to make answer to this charge by [illegible] it to insist to support a search-[illegible] examination of the pension rolls, [illegible] when the country is satisfied [illegible] roll is a worthy one, and not until [illegible] will the feeling pass away that pension [illegible] is a considerable part an unjust burden."

It is claimed by some, but not by [illegible] ury officials, that under the act of March 17, 1883, which good lawyers who have made a careful examination say has never been repealed, the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to issue legal tender notes for the purchase of gold at such rates and upon such terms as he may deem most advantageous to the public [illegible]" Secretary Carlisle thinks he [illegible] in exchange for legal tender notes if it were legal to issue them; but no final decision in the matter is likely to be made until the gold reserve in the [illegible] shall have been reduced to what [illegible] ly low amount, and that may never occur.

Having sent a trustworthy agent to Hawaii to learn the sentiment of the Hawaiians, President Cleveland now proposes to ascertain the sentiment of our own people towards Hawaii, before fully making up his own mind, by making public all of the reports made by Commissioner and Minister Blount. These reports will be published as soon as they are completed, which will probably be in a few weeks.

Comptroller of Currency Eckels is determined that no [illegible] shall plead ignorance of the law as an excuse for having neglected his duty. He has had a circular prepared, a copy of which will be forwarded to each director of every new national bank, containing the laws defining the duties and obligations of bank directors, and the [illegible] prescribed for neglect of duty. He says bank directors that they are liable under the law for the fulfillment of their duty to stockholders and depositors.

According to reports received at Treasury the Chinese are making use of the "underground railroad" to come from [illegible] to the United States, in [illegible] been arrested for running one of these lines.

Those near to President Cleveland and his Cabinet say that they are now confident that Congress will repeal the Sherman Silver law very soon after it meets. The doubt has been as to the Senate, but it is now claimed that it has been removed by assurances from Senators.

THE COUNTY FINANCES.

A Farmer Has a Few Words to Say About the Expense Account.

(From the Wellsboro Agitator.)

CHARLESTON, May 29.—It is a proper thing for every property-owner to give close attention to the tax question, and it is also proper that he should demand an economical administration of affairs. It goes without saying that the average citizen gives too little attention to the manner in which public money is spent by officials. He grumbles a little, to be sure, when the tax collector comes around; but if he has money enough he pays his taxes and then lets the matter slide until another season.

We have heard a great deal about tax-reform, reform boards for the curtailment of expenses, and the like. Now, so far as this county is concerned, is there any real progress being made in this line? If the county's growth keeps pace with the evident increase in expenses we must [illegible] keeping you chop off an item here and add another there, and to the casual observer it looks like reform; but when the balance is struck is the time [illegible] by the totals the exact condition of things. Tax-payers should take pains to look [illegible] to these things more closely.

Now let us look at some of the official figures, to see if we are on the road leading to retrenchment and reform. In 1888 the amount of county orders issued was about $114,000, and during that year there was paid on the bonded debt the sum of $10,600, and also $15,000 on account of the new poor house. In 1889 the amount of orders issued jumped to $140,000 on account of the great June flood, and during that year there was paid for bridge-construction $40,000. In 1890 the orders issued amounted to about $113,000, and for bridges the sum of $30,000 was paid. In 1891 about $100,000 in orders was issued, and only about $3,500 was paid for the construction of bridges and about $35,000 for the support of the poor and insane.

Now we come to the year 1892. The orders issued that year foot up to $134,000 in round numbers, and for bridges the county paid about $18,000. There were some local floods in the county last year, to be sure, but it looks as if a few more heavy showers would have run the total up to that of 1889, close up to that of 1890, when about every stream was swept clean of bridges, making a cost to the public of about $70,000 for 1889 and 1890.

Now, 1892 was a favorable year in this county so far as any extraordinary expense was concerned. We heard a good deal about retrenchment and reform in 1891, and if we are on that high road now I should like to have the path [illegible] to me. In my judgment the sum total of expenses for last year should have been under $100,000 instead of close upon that of 1889, the worst year in the history of the county.

The increased facilities at the new poor-house for taking care of the paupers should lessen the county expenses. The new State hospital at Blossburg should be a saving in many items of outside relief.

The present board of County Commissioners [illegible] not wages ever paid in this county. I am not finding any fault with [illegible] law fixes the compensation [illegible] ho office should [illegible] keeping accounts [illegible]

[illegible] River's Sensational Story Now [illegible]

The trial of [illegible] of 27 years [illegible] the murder of [illegible] Andrew J. Borden, 66 years of age, and her step-mother, Mrs. Abby Borden, her father's second wife. The tragedy was inexpressibly fiendish and bloody. Both victims were killed by blows of a hatchet or axe, and were terribly mutilated by repeated blows. [illegible] of both Borden and [illegible] At 11 [illegible] says she passed through the sitting room and observed her father who was lying on the lounge reading a newspaper. She was on the way to the barn [illegible] wire to mend a flower [illegible] Mrs. Borden, Lizzie said, was in the second floor over the parlor. According to her story, Lizzie remained in the barn 15 minutes, and then returned to the house. As she reached the sitting room she found her father [illegible] blood at the side of the lounge. It was horribly mutilated. Overwhelmed at the sight she screamed for help.

Bridget Sullivan rushed in to see what was the matter, and at the same time, Lizzie says, she called loudly for her mother, but received no [illegible] rushed [illegible] room. As she opened the door she held her mother's body, mutilated in the brutal manner, lying in the middle of the floor, and fainted.

The police were hastily summoned. They found the walls, carpets and wainscoting of the rooms in which the murders were committed spattered with blood. It was almost an impossibility that the assassin could have escaped without having the clothing and person smeared. An ax was [illegible] found in the house, neither had any blood stains on them.

Suspicion settled, after several arrests, on Lizzie Borden, because no attempt at [illegible] certainly have seen any one leaving there.

The examination into the murders resulted in Lizzie Borden being held for trial, and she is now to have justice done her after nearly a year's confinement.

There is much curiosity to learn the States' evidence against Lizzie Borden. It is generally admitted that no evidence was produced at the examination that could convict her. The States' case seemed to be based on the theory that nobody else could have committed the murder, and on the startling discrepancies of Lizzie Borden's own account of [illegible] that the prosecution has held important evidence in reserve.

The theory of the prosecution is that Lizzie Borden was on bad terms with her mother-in-law, and that she [illegible] with her knowledge that [illegible] tended to change his will to favor Mrs. Borden incited her to the double murder. Perhaps something in Lizzie Borden's manner has incited belief in her guilt [illegible] however, there seems to be nothing in her conduct, and scarcely anything in the facts, to cause her to be held guilty of so heinous a crime. There are many things to render the theory of her guilt almost absurd. Yet the county and State prosecuting officers, and a learned judge who was an intimate friend of her family, and shed tears on committing her for trial, believe her to be guilty. The development of the evidence will be watched with great interest.

Attorney General Pillsbury has announced that he will not appear in the case—his health will not permit—and the State will be represented by District Attorney Knowlton, of Bristol County, and District Attorney Moody, of Essex County. The defense will be made by C. E. Jennings, of Fall River, ex Governor George D. Robinson and Melvin O. Adams, the two latter the greatest criminal lawyers in the State.

DR. BRIGGS SUSPENDED.

The Famous Theologian Barred Out of the Presbyterian Church.

Suspension from the ministry of the Presbyterian Church was the sentence pronounced in Washington on Rev. Dr Charles A. Briggs by the General Assembly. In addition, Union Theological Seminary, of New York, and Lane Theological Seminary, of Cincinnati, are practically excluded from the care of the Presbyterian Church as long as they retain Dr. Briggs and Dr. Henry Preserved Smith as professors, and maintain thereby the theological positions taken by [illegible] of the General Assembly's deliberations on the heresy question.

The action in the case of Dr Briggs was not taken until the committee supposed [illegible] last effort at conciliation by asking Dr. Briggs whether he would abide by a resolution admonishing him for the delivery of the inaugural address, and requesting him to refrain from spreading the doctrines which the Presbyterian Church, through its General Assembly, has repudiated. Dr Briggs declined to renounce his opinions or refuse to teach them. The resolution of censure and expulsion was then passed. By way of clinching the matter, the General Assembly reiterated the orthodox "deliverance" of the General Assembly of last year as to the inspiration and inerrancy of the Scriptures. A protest against the action taken was [illegible] in attendance upon the [illegible]

THE FAIR NOT COMPLETE.

Its Commissioners' Announcement. Much is Yet to Be Done.

A Chicago dispatch says: Great efforts are being made by the Fair authorities to get people to come to Chicago now, on the ground that this is the best time to visit the Fair. The Executive Commissioners of various States were asked to sign an address to the public declaring that the fair is now in complete order, and many of them, including Mr. Farquhar, of Pennsylvania, complied. This address is wholly misleading. There is a vast deal to be seen but the Fair is not complete. A great deal of work has been done in the last month but there is a good deal yet to do.

[illegible] for New York.—The President has appointed Charles W. Dayton postmaster of New York city. He is a well-known lawyer, with an office in the Mills building. He is yet a comparatively young man, being about 46 years of age. He lives at 13 Mount Morris avenue, a short distance from Mayor Gilroy's home. He is of Scotch descent. He is a member of Tammany Hall, and attended the Chicago Convention as an advocate of the nomination of David B. Hill. He was, however, formerly a member of the County Democracy, and a Cleveland man in 1884. The appointment is looked upon as a recognition of the regular or Tammany Democratic organization in New York city.

Comptroller Eckels of the Treasury Department says that there are indications that the Chicago National Bank, of Chicago, and the Capital National [illegible]

Information From All of the Globe.

The railroads between Cincinnati and [illegible]

The Republicans carried the [illegible] city council by a majority of [illegible] since he started out.

Nat Burns, the famous [illegible] and comedian, has [illegible]

[illegible] situation in Italy is [illegible] of all [illegible]

The county commissioners [illegible] have finally decided [illegible] retrial of Dr. [illegible] beating all comers in Europe and is [illegible] as the champion amateur.

Smugglers bringing in tinplate [illegible] Eastport (Me.) schooner were detected, [illegible] long cheating the Government.

Jim Corbett, the champion pugilist, was examined by physicians in San Francisco and pronounced in [illegible]

Governor Tillman of South [illegible] a ton of corks, assorted sizes, [illegible] use in the State's "laboratories," i. e., [illegible]

[illegible] chief consulting physician to hospitals of New York city Health [illegible] partment.

After a four years' fight the Knights of Labor have raised their boycott from [illegible]

Sallie J. [illegible] from New York city was a newspaper [illegible] has returned to her Marion (Ky.) home

Two bloodhounds and 100 persons are hunting down Murderer Antonio Sacco, of Boston, hidden in the swamp near Swampscott, Mass.

Dr. Sara B. Chase, of New York, was convicted on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of Maggie Marvoni from malpractice.

[illegible] few months after Jay Gould's death increased the value of his estate to $89,000,000 and afterward reduced it to $61,000,000.

[illegible] as a result of [illegible] to the amount of $100,000.

Eight tons of dynamite and giant powder exploded at a Virginia (Minn.) [illegible] threw a mass of iron half a mile and broke all the windows in houses a mile and a half away.

The Spanish Princess Eulalie, after a remarkable round of festivities in New York city, started for Chicago on Monday. She was received by the Chicago authorities with great distinction.

James Gilbert, who was sentenced in 1885 to penal servitude for life for having caused dynamite explosions at the Tower of London [illegible] ment has been released from Portland Prison.

The suggestion comes from Chicago that the World's Fair may have to be continued throughout next year in order to enable the management to recoup itself for the vast expenditures that have been made.

Ambassador Bayard, the first full-fledged envoy [illegible] titled to take official rank with the foremost diplomatic representatives of other nations, will not sail for England on [illegible]

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Rear Admiral Gherardi has assumed command of the Brooklyn Navy Yard.

The Crown Prince of Italy arrived in Berlin and was welcomed by the Kaiser.

A black spider's bite caused the death of a 4-year-old child at Hammondsport, N. Y.

The coast defense monitor [illegible] satisfactory in an extended sea [illegible]

"Jack" McAuliffe, the famous [illegible] weight pugilist, has gone to [illegible] try to get on a match.

The New York Chamber [illegible] passed resolutions calling for the [illegible] of [illegible]

Miss [illegible] Minister William Walter [illegible] married at Berlin to Dr. Von Rottenburg.

The German Government has made known that it will not insist upon the adoption of the army bill in its entirety.

Reports from Peru state that that country is on the brink of revolution.

A receiver has been appointed for the Domestic Sewing Machine Company.

A fire in the eagle mines, in Mexico, near Eagle, Texas, destroyed 60 lives.

The Emperor of Germany will race his yacht against the Prince of Wales' cutter.

The Fort Wayne, Ind., street car [illegible] has been settled in favor of the [illegible] men.

The San Francisco *Examiner* issued a 120 page paper on Sunday, and claims the belt for big papers.

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Dr. Sara B. Chase, of New York, was convicted on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of Maggie Marvoni from malpractice.

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Eight tons of dynamite and giant powder exploded at a Virginia (Minn.) [illegible] threw a mass of iron half a mile and broke all the windows in houses a mile and a half away.

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In the international billiard match in London, between the English champion Roberts and the American champion Ives, the latter made a run of 2,589 points, placing him over 3,000 points ahead. The game was English, at which Roberts was supposed to have no rival.

The failure of natural gas at Findlay, O., has killed the business boom there.

[illegible] caused dynamite explosions at the [illegible] in the town. The statement is confirmed that all the glass manufacturers have signed an agreement to move their plants from the town not later than July 1. It [illegible] that this exodus will [illegible] to enable the management to recoup itself for the vast expenditures that have been made.

[illegible] of the question of reducing [illegible] senger Agent J. R. Wood of the Pennsylvania Railroad, said: "Lower rates may be made during the summer season for large parties, but nothing definite [illegible] mined, and so far as I know there is not the slightest possibility of a rate war." Mr. Wood added that the various [illegible] agreement recently arrived at.

PUBLIC DEBT STATEMENT.

Showing the Condition of the Treasury at the Close of May.

The public debt statement shows that there was a net decrease of $739,425 99 during the month of May. Of this $657,175 50 was in the amount of the bonded indebtedness of the Government, and $82,250.49 was in the increase of the cash in the Treasury. The interest bearing debt decreased $30,900; debt on which interest has ceased since maturity decreased $37,430, and the debt bearing no interest, $619,695 50. The aggregate interest and non-interest bearing debt May 31 was $961,760 888 68, on April 30 it was $962,407,764 18. The certificates [illegible] notes offset by an equal amount of cash in Treasury outstanding at the end of the month was $594,531,107, an increase of $1,485,604. The total cash in the Treasury was $754,122,984 47, the gold reserve, $95,048,640, and the net cash balance $28,516,514 30. In the month there was a decrease of $5,764,749.32 in gold coin and bars, the total at the close being $196 518,609 74. Of silver there was an increase of $5,173 874.48.

Renounced Presbyterianism.

There was a remarkable scene in the Second Presbyterian Church, Albany, Sunday, when its pastor renounced the Presbyterian faith and declared that the Presbyterian General Assembly was the most "bigoted, intolerant and reactionary body" ever seen in any denomination. The Second Presbyterian Church is the oldest and most influential in Albany, and Dr. Ecob has been its pastor for the past twelve years. He came from [illegible] years pastor of the church attended by James G. Blaine. He has been a stanch follower of Dr. Briggs throughout the latter's trial of heresy, and several times has criticised the latter's opponents.

Gladstone's Ax For Chicago.

At the request of the Timber Trades Association of the United States, sent through Frank S. Shurick, of Sandusky, O., Henry White, Charge d' Affaires, has obtained from Mr. Gladstone as a gift, [illegible] has forwarded to America, one of the axes used by the Premier in felling trees at Hawarden Castle. The ax is to be exhibited in the Forestry Department of the World's Fair [illegible] prove a great attraction, for it is a very fine one, sharp, and heavy, with an ash handle, well worn by the Grand Old Man's frequent hearty grips.

The Speedy Cruiser New York.

The computations by the Naval Engineers upon the results attained by the cruiser New York upon her recent trial trip have been completed, and her record for speed stands at 21 knots or 24 1-5 miles an hour. This record will give her builders, Messrs. Cramp & Sons, of Philadelphia, $200,000 premium on the contract price, for excess of speed, as they were to be paid $50,000 for every [illegible] knot of speed in excess of 20 on her trial trip.

10,000 People Homeless.

At least 10,000 people are believed to be homeless and half starving in East Carroll, Moorehouse, West Carroll, and Madison parishes, La., and the sufferings and privation are appalling. With the exception of a few small elevations, the whole of the northwestern portion of the State is under water. The rains throughout Tennessee, Mississippi, Arkansas and Louisiana have been the heaviest known in years.

Reading's Lost Cash.

Colonel Farr, the expert employed [illegible] the city treasury books at Reading, Pa., has nearly completed his work and has found the total deficit to be $14,484. The suits to recover the amount of the shortage from the ex-Treasurer have not yet come to trial.

An Idle Asylum.

The State Department has [illegible] the lowest of [illegible]

CROOKED CREEK CHAT.

A Heavy Rain Storm Causes Damage—Personal Notes.

CROOKED CREEK, June 5.—The [illegible] school held last [illegible] William Mitchell's was a [illegible]

Mrs. H. J. Colestock has been very ill [illegible] but is slowly [illegible] improving.

Mrs. F. H. Blanchard, of Pittsburg, spent [illegible] week with friends and [illegible] this place.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Davis and daughter, of New Albany, Pa., have spent the [illegible] here.

Miss Millie Roe, [illegible] was [illegible] teacher from Friday until Monday.

Miss Anna Holliday and Mrs. Ed. Stanton spent a few days with relatives in [illegible] past week.

[illegible] occupy the hotel kept by "Dick" Holliday [illegible] Miss Mary Wood was the recent guest of Miss [illegible]

[illegible] are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Sheiman, of Tioga, has been calling upon friends here.

There is talk of running a telegraph line from Middlebury into one of the [illegible] at this place.

[illegible] last week.

Mrs. Reuben Palmer, who has been visiting her children for some months, has returned home.

Last Wednesday a heavy shower fell about two miles above here which caused White's creek to rise so rapidly that the people thought for a time that another June flood had come. Each rain causes this creek to overflow and do considerable damage.

NELSON NOVELTIES.

Sudden Death of An Estimable [illegible] and Other Items.

[illegible] and Decoration Day passed off very quietly. The [illegible] and consisted of the flower girls, led by Misses Inez Preston and Edith [illegible] uniformed rank of Knights Templars and Odd Fellows, followed by citizens. They proceeded to the church where Rev. Miller made the address and from there to the cemetery, where the [illegible] services were observed.

Miss Blanche Richards, one of our most estimable young ladies, died quite suddenly on Sunday morning. She had been sick for a long time, but was out [illegible] quite unexpected. She was a faithful Christian and dearly loved by all her associates.

Miss Ines Hoyt and mother started for Lake Hill on Thursday to visit friends. They will also visit in Elmira before their return.

Mrs. S. A. Johnson and daughter returned from their visit to Wellsboro on Saturday.

Miss Emma Beach, of Phillips Station, is in town for a few weeks.

[illegible] is visiting her parents in this place.

Byron Whitehead and children spent [illegible] Sage in town last week.

Miss Maggie McCarty is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary Parks.

Mrs. C. Weeks visited her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Seeley, at Osceola, one day last week.

Mainesburg Matters.

MAINESBURG, June 5.—Mrs. Manley Smith died on Sunday afternoon at one o'clock. She had been a great sufferer for over a year with Bright's disease. The funeral will be held to-morrow, and interment will be made in the cemetery at Troy.

Decoration Day was duly observed here in the morning and at the State Road Baptist cemetery in the afternoon. The Post from Mansfield and the P. O. S. of A. from Covington and this place participated in the exercises. Rev. A. McConnell delivered the address and remarks were also made by Rev. Mr. Watkins, of Morris Run.

Master Ray Dewitt left on Sunday for a two weeks' visit to the World's Fair. He was accompanied by his uncle, Will Dewitt, of Troy.

The annual picnic of the Welch [illegible] and all connected by marriage or otherwise will be held on the premises of Arthur Goodspeed, in Covington township, on Thursday, June 15th. All relatives or descendants of the family are expected to attend.

SPARKS

How's This!

[illegible] for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

—Off the Newfoundland coast is a species of cuttlefish with arms sometimes 30 feet long, so as to be 60 feet from tip to tip.

To Get at the Facts

Regarding Hood's Sarsaparilla, ask the people who take this medicine, or read the testimonials often published in this paper. They will certainly convince you that Hood's Sarsaparilla possesses unequaled merit, and that it [illegible]

Hood's Pills cure constipation by restoring the peristaltic action of the alimentary canal. They are the best family cathartic.

—Miss Fairy Muzette of Pastoria, O., who is not 20 years old, has [illegible] which hair. The effect is [illegible] charming.

USE DANA'S SARSAPARILLA. "THE KIND THAT CURES."

—A flea is provided with a genuine lance, the knife inclosed in a case in the head of the insect, the case opening sideways, like that of a razor.

GENERAL MARKET REPORT.

The Week's Quotations From the Trade Centers.

NEW YORK.—GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 red, 78c. a 78c.; rye, 56c. a 56c.; corn, No. 2, 47c. a 47c.; oats, No. 2, 41c. a 41½c. HOPS—State, 25c. a 35c. PROVISIONS—Lard prime, $10 25 a $11.35; tallow, 6½c; butter, dairy, State and Pennsylvania, 20c.; cheese, full cream, 10½c. a 11c.; choice, 9½c; eggs, 18c.; pork, family, $21.50 a $21.50; clear, 3 hbs, 19½c. a 19c.; dressed beef, 6c. a 9½c. HAY AND STRAW—No. 1 timothy, per 100 pounds 85c.; clover 75c.; straw, No. 1 rye, 70c.; oat, 45c. BRAN, $18.50 per ton. COTTON, 7½c.

LIVE STOCK—Hogs $7.70 a $8.25 per 100 lbs.; calves, $4 25 a $6.75; sheep, $4.00 a $4.60; lambs, $5.25 a $8.75; milch cows, $35.00 a [illegible]

[illegible] beef, 4½c.; old wethers, 5c.; chickens, 10c. a 20c. DRESSED POULTRY. Fowls, 12c.; broilers, 20c.

Cured of Scrofula

The People will have Hood's

A Fireman's Experience

Hood's Cures

fully believe Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best medicine in the market. I keep a general store, and it is not a trick to sell Hood's Sarsaparilla. People will have it. I sell more of it than of other medicines and my store would not be complete without it. My wife has also been entirely cured of Scrofula by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I am heartily thankful for what it has done for us." JOHN DOWNEY, Hay Beaver, Pa.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

HOOD'S PILLS are the best after-dinner Pills, assist digestion, cure headache. Try a box. 25c.

HOME COMFORT RANGE

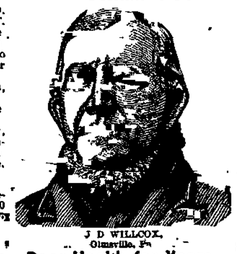
THE Home Comfort Range is made almost wholly of malleable iron and wrought steel. [illegible] and sold exclusively by our agents direct from the factory. The fire box is so constructed that it gets cold air on one side of all the parts exposed to the fire, so that it is impossible to ever to give way or burn out. It don't require half the fuel the ordinary stove does.

We Guarantee Each Range to be Exactly Like the Sample.

We make each one come up to the guarantee to the letter. We cannot afford to do a bogus business, as our firm has a $500,000 paid up capital. The following from the Bellefonte *Watchman* explains itself:

"The Home Comfort Range Company, which has been operating in Centre county during the past few weeks, has suspended operations in this section for a while. During the stay of the agents of this company they placed a great many range in Centre county homes. All of which, as far as we have been able to learn, have given entire satisfaction. The stoves were handled from Beech Creek, whence Mr. Brashear, the Superintendent, sent his agents in all directions. They were an honest, straightforward party of men and did a good business on fair principles."

Dr. Kilmer's SWAMP-ROOT



J. D. WILLCOX, Guardian.

Poor Health for Years. Doctors said he Could Not Live

HE IS SAVED

Mr. Willcox is a prominent and successful country merchant. He is Postmaster at his village, a leading and popular and well known for miles around. He writes: "I had been in poor health for years. Four of our best physicians could give me no encouragement. Some of them said I would not live a year. My difficulties, aggravated by rheumatism, were so severe and chronic I gave up ever being well again. I [illegible]

WHEN YOU WANT A WELL FITTING Stylish and Perfect Fitting SUIT OF CLOTHING —OR— GARMENT OF ANY KIND, CALL ON ANTOINE ROMER.

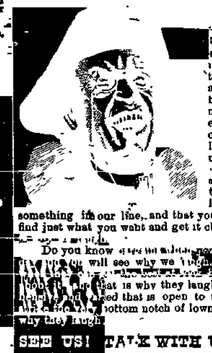
BUY OF HOME DEALERS AND SAVE TWENTY DOLLARS!

The old reliable hardware establishment of WILLIAM ROBERTS WELLSBORO, PA., WILL SELL A NO. 9, SIX-HOLE Wrought Steel Range with reservoir and warming closet attached for $20 less than an inferior Range can be bought of traveling salesmen.

Buy the best and save $20. Call and see our Steel Range or write for further particulars.

Wellsboro, Pa., June 1, 1893.

Why We Laugh.



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New Dress Goods

Henriettas in all the new shades.

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Royal Stainless Hosiery, Silk and Lisle Thread Gloves

Silk Umbrellas, Ladies' Muslin and Unlaundried Handkerchiefs.

G. B. JOHNSON

Main Street.

LOCAL NOTICES.

JAMES A. BOYCE has a most [illegible] line of fine shoes and slippers.—June 8tf.

SANCUTA [illegible] man or woman who taste it for the first time. It deserves all the praise bestowed upon it. Its aroma is unequalled.

TO MY PATRONS.—My office hours in Keeneyville on Tuesdays and Saturdays are from 8 a. m. to 12 m.

June 8, 1893-2t. DR. L. N. CLOOS.

THE Church of Christ, of Charleston, will dedicate their new church, at Mt. [illegible] State road, on Sunday, June 18th, at 3:00 p. m. Rev. U. A. White will preach. All are cordially invited.

PLATFORM DANCE.—There will be a platform dance in Matson's Grove, two miles west of Wellsboro, on the Fourth of July. [illegible] ments served on the grounds. Dancing, 10 cents a set.—June 8-4t.

THE Christian Endeavor Union of Tioga county will hold the third annual convention at Elkland, June 14 and 15, 1893. The Erie and Fall Brook roads will sell [illegible] are interested in Christian Endeavor are invited to attend.

ICE, ICE, ICE!—I am now prepared to supply business houses and private residences with the best quality of ice at any quantity desired. All orders will receive prompt attention. Call on or address,

W. H. [illegible]

May 18, 1893-4t. *Wellsboro, Pa.*

CHANGE OF ERIE TRAINS.—The Summer time-table of the Erie goes into effect on Sunday. Several important changes are made in the westbound service. Mail train No. 1 is taken off altogether. No change in number two or number [illegible]. Train number twelve arrives ten minutes earlier than at present. Train number [illegible] the Buffalo express, leaves New York at 9:00 a. m., with four stops to Elmira, arriving at 9:35. A new train, number nine, is put on, leaving New York at 8:40 a. m., which does the local work on Sundays and carries the mail. This train arrives at Elmira at 5 p. m. Number two reaches Elmira at 11 p. m. No change in number three or number seven.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 8, 1893.

New Advertisements.

Holmes' Rheumacine—A. B. Holmes.

Proposals for Furnishing Stationery, etc—William F. Harrity, Secretary.

LOCAL AND COUNTY AFFAIRS.

—Court next week.

—Hay is selling for $12 a ton.

—Knoxville has a new bakery.

—Fourth of July comes on Tuesday.

—Roseville will celebrate the Fourth.

—The Summer bids fair to be a wet one.

—Strawberries are cheaper and sweeter.

—Republican primary elections next Saturday.

—Hon. W. T. Merrick, of Blossburg, was in town on Monday.

—Meeting of the Democratic County Committee next Tuesday.

—Smead Hose Company is the name of Tioga's new fire company.

—Miss Mozelle Lindon, of Atlanta, Ga., is the guest of Miss Mabel Bacon.

—Mrs. Dr. Taft, of Manistee, Mich., is the guest of Miss Lolo Bowen.

—Mrs. Cook, of Cook's Station, is visiting at the home of Conductor Copp.

—The hay crop this year will be very large, at least the prospect indicates it.

—An interesting article on the screen door game will be found on the fourth page.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Sears, of Weston, N. Y., are visiting relatives in this place.

—The family of Hon. B. M. Fogg have moved from Washington, D. C., to this place to make their home in this place.

—Mr. Michael Moran and son Harry attended the wedding of Mr. Morin's brother at Corning yesterday.

—A carp that weighed over nine pounds was caught in Crooked Creek, Friday, a few days ago.

—Miss Cora Peery, of Knoxville, the evangelist, is to enter Mansfield Normal and prepare for the ministry.

—Buttermilk was successfully used to extinguish the flames of an incipient fire in the Nelson creamery one night last week.

—George D. Mitchell, Esq., returned last week from Wyoming, D. C., where he had been for a few weeks as his home is there.

—F. S. Tate, of Ca[illegible], son of Mr. W. Tate, of this place, [illegible] Pa., [illegible] Tioga county [illegible] Wellsboro

Tabard Gazette.

Misunderstood.

Two little sand heaps by the sea
As much alike as pea and pea.

Beside one lazy a little lad
With serious eyes, and all intent
Upon his work, with patience had
Molded a mound, and as I went
Past him I wondered what it meant.
"A pier?" I asked. "A fort," said he.

Beside the other pile of sand
There sat a tiny, gold haired maid
She patted with her baby hand
The warm, white hillock, and I said,
"That is a noble fort you've made."
"No, 'tas pay" she answered me.

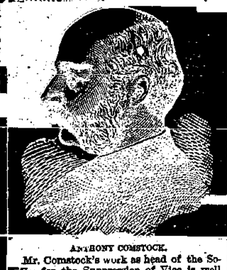
THE GREEN GOODS GAME

Still at Work in Full Blast.

THE STORY OF A BRICK IN A BAG.

It Drove a Young Pennsylvanian to Do Murder—Other Instances in Which the Victim Was Shot Down—Anthony Comstock's Work.

[illegible] generously accorded [illegible] of the gentle dealer in green goods, for, mankind is prone to [illegible] out much allowance upon him who will not heed warnings that are constantly thrust upon him. And the almost daily publication of the swindling of some one by this aged method is an almost daily warning. He who passes it by is confessedly heedless. Really [illegible] the general intelligence that [illegible] swindled is no honester than [illegible] —if indeed he be as honest.



ANTHONY COMSTOCK.

Mr. Comstock's work as head of the Society for the Suppression of Vice is well known and [illegible] commented on throughout the country. Many consider him to be a most despicable person, and it is probably true that in some cases he has overstepped the mark, especially in his seizures of works of art and the stoppage of certain publications. But on the other hand his efforts have certainly been productive of great good in many instances. He has suppressed a very large number of objectionable publications of one kind and another which formerly could be bought in most cities almost as openly as the [illegible] and the dictionary, and which cannot now be found at all. No one could meet him and talk with him for 10 minutes without being convinced of his sincerity. His face [illegible] that he had [illegible] N. J. He is a man [illegible] intelligence, [illegible] can be induced to talk his conversation [illegible]

It was in this manner that the [illegible] off of Tony Martin came about. Two brothers, Robert and Edward K. Hoerner, [illegible] the Bessemer House at [illegible] betook themselves to New [illegible] for the purpose of doing up the green goods men. They [illegible] with a [illegible] goods man by his victim.

By a coincidence interesting to the student of criminal news the latest case of homicide of this sort took place but a day or two before Anthony Comstock's most recent successful seizure of green goods was effected. The man killed was Anthony Martin—better known as Tony—who had for many years made a comfortable income off the gullible gudgeons attracted by his [illegible]

JOSEPH AND ROBERT HOERNER.

[illegible] rested, and in a day or two "Phillips" died. The Hoerners are now behind the bars in [illegible] and [illegible] being necessary before the fact to a murder.

The identification of Phillips as Tony Martin took place on the day before his death. Martin belonged to the notorious McNally gang. He began his career as a crook in the pickpocket line and was then known as "Handback Tony." From this business of picking pockets he [illegible] to the rank of expert "film flammer" and was then dubbed "Film Flam Tony." Then he was graduated as a green goods operator. His crooked work brought him frequently into collision with the authorities, and during his life he saw the inside of many jails and prisons. He was with Georgie Appo, the half breed Chinaman who was shot by a farmer in Poughkeepsie to whom they were singing their songs, and Martin escaped this time by flight.

"Mr. Stevens," who figured as the uncle of "Phillips" during the episode with the [illegible] Stevens. For a time Martin had his green goods headquarters in Jersey City, where he took refuge after the Poughkeepsie shooting, and was there known as Andy Bowers. Anthony Comstock arrested him and took him before a United States commissioner in Newark, N. J. Martin gave bonds in $3,000 for further appearance, but [illegible] his bail, as he had often done before, [illegible] punishment. His printing office was raided in New York some months ago.

Perhaps the most sensational green goods business in New York was that of Tim [illegible] who [illegible] Stevens said he was the agent of Simpson & Reed of New [illegible] Besides the circulars the box contained a [illegible]

[illegible] year, they would make about [illegible] profit.

FUGITIVES FROM JUSTICE.

Their Disguises Often Arouse Suspicion and Lead to Detection.

Shaving off the beard or mustache is one of the commonest methods of disguise adopted by criminals, but the police always recognize such a proceeding as probable, and an expert thief taker is well able to identify his man minus such adornments. In some cases indeed the wanted person's likeness is put into the detective's hands with the mustache and whiskers removed, showing what the man will be like without them.

An absconding bank cashier [illegible] ago attempted to leave the country dressed as a woman. His disguise was seen through by a keen eyed detective who was watching outward bound vessels, and although he [illegible] man he detained him [illegible] communicating with the [illegible] prisoner was soon [illegible] the disguise itself [illegible] detection of the criminal. Recent cases men wearing mustaches were seen anxious to discover [illegible] assuming them. These [illegible] unsatisfactory that [illegible] 8 and the other 11 [illegible] Most stands a criminal [illegible] ing his escape is his [illegible] voice," one with no mark, [illegible] an iron nerve to enable [illegible] like an innocent person [illegible] the buying of the [illegible] the fugitive is being [illegible] his identity affords [illegible] his capture.

A Novel Duel.

[illegible] unique duels ever known [illegible] which who decided to [illegible] balloons were made [illegible] upon the appointed day [illegible] accompanied by his second [illegible] armed with a blunderbuss [illegible] being that they [illegible] each other, but at the [illegible] to the height of half [illegible] the preconcerted signal [illegible] and refused; the other [illegible] more disastrous effect. [illegible] balloon, which in [illegible] the result that the [illegible] were dashed to the [illegible] rapidly and instantly killed.

The Champion Sandwich Man.

[illegible] Chinaman visiting in Paris [illegible] with the carver of one [illegible] restaurants on the [illegible] being for 1,000 francs, [illegible] and not cut and make [illegible] inches in 24 hours. The [illegible] easily, accomplishing [illegible] and 40 minutes, demolishing [illegible] operation.

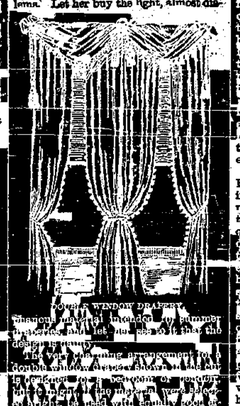
Gingerbread.

Take 2 [illegible] flour, a half pound of [illegible] sugar, 1 cup of molasses [illegible] teaspoonfuls of [illegible] ginger and a pinch of [illegible] roughly and bake in a [illegible]

SUMMER CURTAINS.

HOW TO DRAPE AND ARRANGE THEM TO THE BEST ADVANTAGE.

[illegible] The question of dressing the doors and windows [illegible] is one that [illegible] the [illegible] of a [illegible] for 15 cents a [illegible] and these pictures are intended to solve a few at least of her problems. Let her buy the light, almost diaphanous [illegible] warm, brown tints that you will often harmonize with every sheen of color, and the solidity of the panel gives a hue that no bizarre arrangement of umbrellas or paper fans can possibly attain.



WINDOW DRAPERY.

[illegible] without sacrificing the amount of air admitted. The drapery over the pole, of course, is stationary and does not move [illegible] so that even when [illegible] are graceful folds and lines in place of the hard, ugly woodwork that is ordinarily [illegible] Cretonne, madras, japanese [illegible] of the excellent [illegible] is in [illegible] home, when heavy hangings are not longer needed and when portieres give an [illegible] peculiar stiffness which all wise housewives struggle to avoid. But the same or similar effects might be used at any wide window with entirely satisfactory results. The materials are simple and de-

SUGGESTION FOR PORTIERES.

pend upon their color and the excellent combination of lines and folds rather than upon any richness of stuff for their effect. They are what all summer draperies should be cool both in texture and color, and of such material as can be easily cleaned.

Cleaning Gilding.

A reliable mixture for cleaning gilding is made in the following manner: Sprinkle a little hot water on an ounce of quicklime, to [illegible] a pint of [illegible] milk. Dissolve 2 ounces of [illegible] 1½ pint of boiling water, mix the two solutions, cover, agitate occasionally for an hour, [illegible] decant the [illegible] the clear portion and cork securely in flat half pint bottles. Apply with a soft sponge and then wash the surface with clear water.

Improving Starch.

For starching muslins, ginghams and calicoes dissolve a piece of alum the size of a hickory nut for every pint of starch. This will keep the colors bright for a long time.

Lawn Tennis Racket Cases.

Decorative cases for lawn tennis racquets have lately been added to the many small articles which are popular for the display of fancy work. In the sketch both sides of the racket case are given.

There are many materials which could be used, but perhaps the three most suitable would be cloth, art serge or a coarse kind of colored linen, as all these are eminently strong and serviceable and would stand the wear and tear which a case of this kind must of necessity be exposed to.

If cloth or art serge is selected, the embroidered designs should be worked in

RACKET CASES.

filoselle. A chestnut brown cloth embroidered with several shades of salmon pink would be useful and effective, or a rifle green art serge would look well if worked with gold colored silk.

Orange [illegible] an India rede[illegible] with a d[illegible] of oil.

IN GOOD TASTE.

[illegible] If you are in the [illegible] branches of [illegible] ornamental [illegible] you cannot do better [illegible] deep vase upon the [illegible] constantly well filled. [illegible] ample and you keep [illegible] with water, they will [illegible] quent change. A box [illegible] to contain fans and [illegible] growing things [illegible] the Japanese folding fan screens are also effective.

Japanese umbrellas, the New York Recorder says, are used by many people, if we may judge by the number sold, and make about as good decoration as anything of the sort. Select a combination of colors in [illegible] cut the handle [illegible] that the black [illegible]

[illegible] warm, brown tints that you will often harmonize with every sheen of color, and the solidity of the panel gives a hue that no bizarre arrangement of umbrellas or paper fans can possibly attain.

CANNONADING MADE RAIN.

The People of Eight Counties Helped to Bring on a Downpour.

An effort is being made by citizens of Western Kansas to produce rain [illegible] of explosives. The first [illegible] The [illegible] simultaneous [illegible] at [illegible] [illegible] year. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]